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CUSTOMS DUTY ON PETROL DIESEL AND CRUDE OIL
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to cut customs duty on Petrol and Diesel and waive it completely on crude oil;and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM)

`(a) At present,there is no proposal under the consideration of the Government to cut customs duty on petrol and diesel.Crude oil already attracts Nil Basic Customs Duty w.e.f.4th June 2008.

(b) does not arise in view of (a) above."